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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicants: Lawson A. WOOD)
Serial No.: 10/649,932)
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For: METHOD FOR RECOGNIZING)
AND DISTRIB UTING MUSIC)
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**INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT**

July 9, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97-1.98, submitted during the time period specified by 37 CFR 1.97(d).

A form PTO-1440 and a printout from www.frontiernet.net/~imaging/play_a_piano.html are attached. The web site provides a simulated piano that can be actuated using a mouse, and keys of a typewriter-type keyboard are identified on the simulated piano keys. Different notes can be picked out using either the simulated piano keys or the typewriter-type keyboard.

The \$180 fee specified by 37 CFR 1.17(p) is included in a check that is being submitted concurrently. Should this check be accidentally missing or insufficient, though, any fees that may be needed can be charged to Deposit Account number 18-0002 (and please notify Applicant, at the telephone number listed below, so he can reimburse his firm).

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(e)(2), it is hereby certified that no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. It was unnecessary to make the reasonable inquiry mentioned in 37 CFR 1.97(e)(2) because the undersigned attorney/Applicant stumbled upon the reference himself, and is the sole person associated with the filing or prosecution of this application under 37 CFR 1.56(c).

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the reference and make it of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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	AR	Paul Flavin, web site entitled "Play a Piano/Synthesizer/Oscilloscope," http://www.frontiernet.net/~imaging/play_a_piano.html , copyright date 1998, 2 pages.
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Examiner

Date Considered

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